GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
LOK SABHA

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NAIR COMMITTEE ON CPSUs
Kalmadi Shri Suresh

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether T.K.A. Nair Committee had made several suggestions for toning up the managements of the Public Sector Undertakings;

(b) if so, broad features thereof; and

(c) the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDSUTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV)

(a) & (b): T.K.A. Nair Committee, which was set up in October, 2000 under the Chairmanship of Shri T.K.A. Nair, the then Chairman, Public Enterprises Selection Board (PESB) had reviewed 299 BPE/DPE guidelines issued over a period of time to the Central Public Sector Enterprises and made similar number of recommendations for consideration of the Government. Nair Committee had made following recommendations.

(i) 164 guidelines may be retained.

(ii) 72 guidelines may be deleted.

(iii) 11 guidelines may be removed from compendium of DPE.

(iv) 52 may be modified/merged (7 may be modified, 27 may be merged and 18 may be modified & merged).

(c): Government has taken action for deletion of 66 and removal of 11 guidelines from the compendium of DPE. Of the 52 guidelines, action has been completed in respect of 30 and merger/modification of remaining 22 guidelines is being pursued in consultation with other concerned Ministries/Departments.